

PETERSON NURSERY

PEONIES - IRIS

1917



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EXPERIENCE

As the pioneers in America of extensive growing and careful studying of the herbaceous peony, we present this selected list of the best sorts from every hybridizer of note.

VARIETIES

Connoisseurs will notice from our painstaking comparisons that the varieties retained are only those of the highest standard of excellence.

STOCK AND LOW PRICES

Our stock is guaranteed true to description and we will **REPLACE WITH THREE** any that prove not true. We can make this **UNPARALLELED** guarantee because of the extreme care we have always used in growing our stock.

Our responsibility, coupled with our unique guarantee and large stock, make it possible to dispense with an expensive catalogue, thus reducing prices.

TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT DISCOUNT TO THE TRADE

Any order of \$100 or more will be construed by us as being a wholesale purchase, and therefore entitled to the 25% discount
TERMS: To new customers, cash with order or before shipment is made, or satisfactory reference

On orders of \$10.00 or more for Peonies only (not entitled to the trade discount) at the prices in this list, we will prepay carrying charges to your station if within 300 miles of Chicago, or on orders of \$25.00 or more, to any point in the United States.

No charge for packing.

MOVING—When dormant in the early fall, Peony and Iris roots can be shipped long distances and bloom well the following spring.

Any Peony or Iris is much surer to bloom, and will be twenty per cent stronger, if moved in September, so that new rootlets may form before freezing down. This gives a great advantage to home-grown stock over imported plants, which invariably come too late.

We will not supply less than six of one kind at the dozen rate or less than twenty-five of one kind at the hundred rate. No orders taken for less than six of one kind of Peony in divided roots.

Offered subject to our surplus being unsold on receipt of order before September 15, 1917.

We begin filling orders early in September.

PLANTING—At 20% additional we will plant any order of \$5.00 or more if within driving distance of our nursery.

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ISOLINE

IRIS

(FLEUR-DE-LIS)

NO OTHER FLOWER has so many combinations of color, especially of the delicate and unusual shades, and the name of Rainbow Flower is most fitting. ¶ They are absolutely hardy, as beautiful in form, texture and coloring as any orchid, and many are delightfully fragrant. They are not particular as to soil—and will grow where anything will, but do better in well-drained locations. ¶ The following list is selected after many years of systematic testing, similar to our Peony studies, and contains all the most desirable and distinct varieties, collected from England, France, Germany and elsewhere. ¶ We aim to have just as limited a list as will embrace all desirable varieties in shape, color, and combinations of colors, with as great a range of blooming period as possible. ¶ This list is arranged according to blooming, beginning about May 15th.

In the description, "S" indicates the erect petals or standards; "F" the drooping petals or falls. "Inches" means height of bloom.

A clump consists of from 3 to 5 tubers. Roots separated or not pulled apart, as desired. Will not sell less than 6 of one kind at dozen rate, or less than 25 of one kind at 100 rate. The prices per 100 and per dozen are for single roots. No charge for packing.

On orders for Iris only (not entitled to the trade discount), at the prices in this list, we will prepay carrying charges to your station if within 300 miles of Chicago, or on orders of \$10.00 or more to any point in the United States. Orders for Iris and Peonies together at the Peony rate. ¶ PLANTING—At 20% additional we will plant any order of \$5.00 or more within driving distance of our nursery.

NOTE—The number under each variety refers to this price table. Find the number of the variety, then the group in which it is listed.

NO. 1	NO. 2	NO. 3	NO. 4	NO. 5	NO. 6	NO. 7	NO. 8	NO. 9	NO. 10
\$3.00 per 100	\$7.00 per 100	\$10.00 per 100	\$15.00 per 100	\$20.00 per 100	\$30.00 per 100	\$35.00 per 100	\$50.00 per 100	\$75.00 per 100	\$2.00 each single root—not by the dozen
.45 " doz.	1.00 " doz.	1.40 " doz.	2.00 " doz.	3.00 " doz.	4.00 " doz.	5.00 " doz.	7.00 " doz.	10.00 " doz.	
.18 " clump of 3 to 5 individual tubers	.35 " clump	.50 " clump	.65 " clump	1.00 " clump	1.30 " clump	1.80 " clump	2.10 " clump	3.00 " clump	
	Germanica	.18 " single root	.20 " single root	.30 " single root	.40 " single root	.50 " single root	.70 " single root	1.00 " single root	
Florentina	Her Majesty	Walhalla	Ingeborg	Caprice	Queen Flavia	Mrs. Alan Gray	Miss Willmott	Alcazar	Tamerlan
Mme. Chereau	Loreley	Kochi	Dorothee	Lohengrin	Archeveque	Eldorado	Isoline	Shushan	Mercedes
Orientalis	Mrs. H. Darwin	Mrs. Neubronner	Amas	Dalmatica	Iris Koenig	Parc de Neuilly	Florence Wells	Penge	Black Prince
Snow Queen		Darius	Gertrude	Prosper Laugier	Monsignor	Parisiana	Miss E. Eardley	Mme. Blanche Pion	Edouard Michel
		Fairy	Perfection	Rhein Nixe		Violaeca Grandiflora	Kathleen	Foster's Yellow	Oriflamme
		Queen Alexandra	Kharpur				Blue Boy		



LOHENGRIIN

Reddish Purple

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Kochi (germanica), 24 inches. S. & F. both of the deepest purple. Falls have translucent black coating. The buds are soot black. An absolutely indispensable sort, often sold under the name of Black Prince.

3

Kharpur (germanica), 30 inches. S. violet, F. velvety violet purple. Extra large bloom.

4

Archeveque (neglecta), 24 inches. S. stunning reddish purple, F. deepest velvety purple.

6

Caprice (pallida), 30 inches. S. & F. a delicate purple blending into a silky lavender at the base. A little lighter shade than that of the rare Edouard Michel.

5

Florence Wells (pallida), 30 inches. S. soft mauve, F. deeper mauve. A new English favorite. "Most fascinating color combination, notably free blooming."

8

Parc de Neuilly (pallida), 28 inches. S. & F. a navy blue of reddish tinge with an ever changing effect.

7

Monsignor (neglecta), 28 inches. The violet rays of the standards enliven the clerical velvety purple crimson of the falls, whose very dark veining add dignity to the whole. A most stately, massive and imposing variety. Totally distinct and most desirable. See cut.

6

Edouard Michel (pallida), 32 inches. S. & F. unusual shade of rich reddish purple. Stock very limited.

10

Orientalis (sibirica), 30 inches. S. & F. intense deep blue with narrow foliage. Very suitable for an uncultivated effect.

1

Black Prince (neglecta), 24 inches. Last to bloom. S. soft lilac purple, F. a velvety purple of the richest conceivable hue.

10

Blue Violet

Germanica (type), 32 inches. S. violet blue, F. royal purple, large and fragrant. First of the tall growing varieties to bloom.

2

Walhalla (interregna), 24 inches. S. light violet, F. dark purple, very showy, large flowers.

3

Amas or Macrantha (germanica), 28 inches. S. violet, F. gorgeous purple, enormous blooms.

4

Gertrude (pallida), 34 inches. S. & F. same shade, rare violet blue. Unexcelled for house decoration where a clear uniform shade is desired. Peterson variety.

4

Blue Boy (germanica), 28 inches. S. violet, F. deep purple violet midway between Kochi and Gertrude, possibly better classified with the purples if not named Blue Boy by the English producer. Has a blue beard. Scarce.

8

Perfection (neglecta), 30 inches. S. fresh lavender, flecked with deeper shade, F. rich velvety lavender, dark reflections. A most pleasing and highly attractive combination, very well named. Has more blossoms on one stalk than any other sort.

4

Penge (pallida X cengialti), 30 inches. S. light bluish violet, F. violet purple, very free. A new "Foster hybrid."

9

Tamerlan (germanica), 30 inches. S. violet blue, F. deeper shade, new and very striking.

10

Oriflamme (germanica), 30 inches. S. bright blue, F. broad and long dark purple. Absolutely the largest bloom in the whole collection.

10

Violaeca Grandiflora (pallida), 32 inches. S. & F. fresh clear violet.

7

Pink Violet

Dorothee (germanica), 20 inches. S. & F. a robin's egg blue blending to deep heliotrope. This spring when many of the delicate shaded early-blooming sorts were shy bloomers this was very free. Much like a double Japanese Iris.

4

Mrs. Alan Gray (pallida), 18 inches. S. & F. pale pink. Like Dalmatica but decidedly earlier.

7

Lohengrin (pallida), 33 inches. S. & F. soft silvery mauve, shading nearly to white at the claw. A tall, strong grower, with wide leaves. Undoubtedly the most desirable of all the pallidas. See cut.

5

Her Majesty (pallida), 30 inches. S. pinkish violet tourmaline, F. deeper shade heavily veined. A very sturdy sort. The most pink variety in the collection.

2

Isoline (squalens), 36 inches. The Imperial Mandarin. S. silvery lilac 3 inches long, surmounting an apron of 3 3/4 inch mauve falls, making a very striking combination that is most beautiful, artistic and unique. See cut.

8

Dalmatica (pallida), 44 inches. S. & F. delicate lavender with pink reflections. The tallest variety.

5

Queen Alexandra (squalens), 30 inches. S. lavender, F. pale purple, very self reliant in attitude. A real queen. One of Peter Barr's choicest sorts. Unusual and scarce.

3

Kathleen (pallida), 28 inches. S. & F. soft self rose lilac, one of Barr's novelties.

8

Bronze

KEY

Read down columns for all of same color.

The number under each variety refers to the group in which price can be found.

5

Prosper Laugier (squalens), 30 inches. S. fiery bronze, F. velvety ruby purple, like a Pansy bloom. This new "bronze" variety outclasses them all in being a clear well defined striking combination in a complete harmony of correctly blended colors. The hardest and freest blooming sort of this whole list.

7

Eldorado (squalens), 32 inches. S. antique bronze, F. old gold silhouetted with burnt purple. Possessing a totally distinctive harmony of subdued hues and perfect blending unknown in any other iris.

9

Madame Blanche Pion (squalens), 28 inches. S. pale bronze yellow shot with lavender, F. violet purple. Offered for the first time by us. Introduced by Wallace of England.

6

Iris Koenig (squalens), 24 inches. S. lemon, F. maroon edged yellow. See cut.

9

Alcazar (squalens), 36 inches. S. violet with bronze reflections, F. rich ruby slightly veined. A genuine Spanish grandee of the flowery kingdom.

9

Shushan (Paradoxa-Iberica X variegata), 16 inches. S. purplish gray, F. deepest crimson maroon, becoming almost black at the haft. Yellow beard, "style arms bright bronze shining like a gold roof."

Yellow

Queen Flavia (interregna), 24 inches. S. & F. primrose yellow, very large.

6

Mrs. Neubronner (variegata), 28 inches. S. & F. rich, clear golden yellow, best solid yellow. Like giant daffodils. Richest gold.

3

Darius (variegata), 26 inches. S. lemon yellow, F. amethyst with deep veining and yellow margin. One of the older varieties that no new sort has been able to supplant.

3

Loreley (variegata), 30 inches. S. breast of a wild canary, F. creamy white with purple reticulations blending into a velvety purple mass near the ends which are margined with deep canary. The best of this type and most prolific.

2

Miss E. Eardley (variegata), 24 inches. S. clear golden yellow, F. rich madder red with yellow edge. A new English variety.

8

Foster's Yellow (variegata), 28 inches. S. & F. "a creamy yellow seedling intermediate in color between the cream of flavescens and the yellow of germanica aurea."—Wallace.

9



SNOW QUEEN

White

Ingeborg (interregna), 17 inches. S. & F. both snowy white.

4

Florentina (species), 26 inches. S. & F. pearly white, source of orris root perfume, quite fragrant.

1

Miss Willmott (pallida), 24 inches. S. pale blue white, F. pale blue white washed with yellow, large flower, free bloomer. Sometimes incorrectly called "Kashmir White."

8

Mrs. H. Darwin (amoena), 28 inches. S. & F. satin white with a little purple reticulation at the claw. One of the best of this class.

2

Fairy (plicata), 36 inches. S. & F. resemble sun kissed snow outlined by the faint azure of the sky. The crests of the stigmas are a most delicate lake-blue with an abundant though delicate perfume suggestive of the wild wood nymph. The tallest white.

3

Rhein Nixe (amoena), 36 inches. S. pure white, F. raspberry purple edged white. A most vigorous grower, always dependable. The only one of the white standards and purple falls worthy of being kept in our selected list. As it originated on the banks of the Rhine, its jaunty air may have suggested its name.

5

COLLECTION No. 2

One strong blooming clump each of all varieties in groups 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 being 25 varieties amounting to \$14.02

for \$10.00

Snow Queen (sibirica orientalis), 30 inches. S. & F. large snowy white. New. Narrow foliage. The flowers are much larger than those of the type. Last white to bloom. See cut.

1

Frilled

COLLECTION No. 1

One clump each of all varieties in groups Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 2 from 4, being 16 varieties, amounting to \$6.42

for \$5.00

Madame Chereau (plicata), 42 inches. S. & F. clear white with distinct frilled lavender edge. Many new frilled varieties continue to be introduced, but this one continues unsurpassed.

1

Parisiana (plicata), 28 inches. S. lavender pink mottled all over. F. creamy white center very heavily bordered with lavender pink. A most striking and unusual but highly pleasing effect.

7

Mercedes (plicata), 30 inches. S. & F. white ground heavily frilled with a golden brown. A recent French introduction of superior merit.

10

The three frilled varieties we limit our list to have been culled from twenty different sorts as each is distinct in its class and required in a representative collection.

COLLECTION No. 3

One strong blooming clump each of all varieties in groups 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 and 1 single root of each in groups 7 and 8 being 40 varieties, amounting to \$25.92

for \$20.00

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Peonies

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THE sizes given are: DIVIDED—Strong divided plants of two to four eyes; SMALL — Plants of one or two stalks of this year's growth, one year since divided; MEDIUM—Plants of two to five stalks, two years since divided; LARGE—Plants of six or more stalks, three years since divided; EXTRA LARGE—Plants four years since divided.

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White Peonies

	Size	Each	12	100
Early				
Grandiflora Nivea Plena (Lemon 1824). Large globular, rose type. Milk white. Very fragrant. A very meritorious sort besides being the first white to bloom.	Small Medium Large	\$0.64 1.00 1.38	\$ 6.40 10.00 13.80	\$ 48.00 75.00
Festiva Maxima (Mieliez 1851). Very large globular, rose type. Pure white, flecked crimson, very fragrant, tall, vigorous grower. Undoubtedly the finest white in existence.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	.33 .52 .80 1.10 1.35	3.30 5.20 8.00 11.00 13.50	23.00
Madame de Verneville (Crousse 1885). Large, very full bomb. Pure white, center blush when first open. Delightfully fragrant, extra free bloomer. The most dependable white for the cut flower market.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	.23 .42 .60 .80 1.00	2.30 4.20 6.00 8.00 10.00	15.00 30.00 45.00 60.00 75.00
Duchesse de Nemours (Calot 1856). Pure white crown, sulphur white collar, no crimson flecks. Fragrant, vigorous grower. Large guard petals, wonderful buds.	Divided Small Medium Large	.23 .42 .60 .80	2.30 4.20 6.00 8.00	15.00 30.00 45.00 60.00
Midseason				
Madame Emile Lemoine (Lemoine 1899). Large, globular, semi-rose type. Milk white, very fragrant. Of recent introduction but now well entrenched as an indispensable sort.	Divided Small Medium Large	.95 1.58 2.22	6.70 9.50 15.80 22.20	
Madame Crousse (Calot 1866). Medium size, globular crown. Pure white, center flecked crimson. Most fragrant. Strong, stiff stem, very vigorous. Many lateral buds that all bloom well.	Divided Small Medium Large	.42 .60 .80	2.30 6.00 8.00	15.00 30.00 45.00 60.00
Monsieur Dupont (Calot 1872). Large, flat, semi-rose type. Milk white center splashed crimson. Fragrant. Erect, tall, stiff stems, and a free bloomer. The increasing demand even at advanced prices proves its worth.	Small Medium	.85 1.30	8.50 13.00	65.00 100.00
Avalanche (Crousse 1886). Very large, compact, globular, rose type. Pure white, edged with a light line of carmine. Very strong, tall and very free bloomer. Often sold under the name of Albatre. Nothing finer. We cut more of this than any other white.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	.48 .75 1.00 1.25	2.90 4.80 7.50 10.00 12.50	20.00 35.00 75.00 95.00
Late				
Baroness Schroeder (Kelway 1890). Very large globular rose type. Flesh white bud, bleaching to white when open. Very fragrant. Tall, strong grower. The most rose-like in shape, appearance and fragrance of any white peony.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	2.60 3.80 5.10 6.40	16.40 26.00 38.00 51.00 64.00	125.00 300.00 400.00 500.00
Couronne d'Or (Calot 1873). Large, flat, semi-rose type. Ivory white. Fragrant. Medium tall, splendid grower, free bloomer. Always develops well and is most dependable. Absolutely the best late white for cut flower purposes.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	2.90 .48 .75 1.00 1.25	2.90 4.80 7.50 10.00 12.50	20.00 35.00 55.00 75.00 95.00
Single				
Albiflora, The Bride, or La Fiancee (Dessert 1902). Very large, single white, with long yellow stamens. Fragrant. Tall, very early, free, blooming in clusters. A third larger bloom than the ordinary Albiflora.	Small Medium Large	2.00 3.00 4.00		

Pale Pink Peonies

	Size	Each	12	100
Early				
Octavie Demay (Calot 1867). Very large, flat crown. Guards and center pale hydrangea pink. Fragrant. Dwarf habit, but leaf stalks very low, admits cutting with long stem. Free bloomer. Our first pink to cut.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	\$ 6.70 \$0.95 1.58 2.22 2.73	\$ 6.70 9.50 15.80 22.20 27.30	\$ 50.00 80.00 120.00 170.00 210.00
Therese (Dessert 1904). Very large flat rose type. Delicate violet rose, bleaching to nearly white. The last word in peonies.	Small Medium	8.00 12.00	80.00	
Delicatissima (Unknown). Large rose type. Pale lilac rose. Very fragrant. Very strong, tall grower, fine habit, free bloomer. Known locally for over thirty years as the "L. L. L. Pink." More sold as a cut flower than any other pink and always brings good prices.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	.48 .75 1.00 1.25	2.90 4.80 7.50 10.00 12.50	20.00 75.00 95.00
Golden Harvest (Rosenfeld 1900). Medium-sized loose bomb. Guard petals, lilac rose, center creamy white. Fragrant, stiff stem, very free bloomer.	Divided Small Medium Large	.42 .60 .80	2.30 4.20 6.00 8.00	15.00 30.00 45.00 60.00
Eugenie Verdier (Calot 1864). Large, flat semi-rose type. Pale hydrangea pink, collar lighter. Fragrant. Very tall, erect, free bloomer. One of the showiest and most beautiful baby pinks. Remains a long time in bloom.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	.56 .85 1.20 1.50	3.50 5.60 8.50 12.00 15.00	25.00 42.00 65.00 90.00 115.00
Midseason				
Marie Crousse (Crousse 1892). Large, loose bomb. Uniform lilac shade. Tall, strong grower. Free bloomer. With large petals of an elusive salmon cast.	Small Medium Large	2.60 3.80 5.10	26.00 38.00 51.00	200.00 300.00 400.00
Venus (Kelway). Very large compact crown, pale hydrangea pink, large petals. Tall, free bloomer. Extra fine for cutting, wonderful bud. True stock is very scarce.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	1.70 2.60 3.80 4.70	11.50 17.00 26.00 38.00 47.00	85.00 135.00 200.00 290.00
Albert Crousse (Crousse 1893). Very large, flat, compact bomb. Sea shell salmon pink flecked crimson. Fragrant. Tall, erect, free bloomer. Is colored, formed and with imbricated petals like a big, flesh pink carnation.	Divided Small Large Extra large	.95 2.22 2.73	6.70 9.50 22.20 27.30	50.00 80.00 170.00
Pierre Duchartre (Crousse 1895). Large, compact rose type. Delicate flesh pink. Fragrant. Strong stem, very free bloomer. A delicate light pink on the order of Claire Dubois.	Divided Small Medium Large	1.70 2.60 3.80	11.50 17.00 26.00 38.00	85.00 135.00 200.00
Late				
Chestine Gowdy (Brand 1913). "A striking example of the cone-shaped peony. The broad outer petals are silver pink. The flower is of good substance, and when cut just as the bud is bursting this variety makes one of our best cut flowers."—Brand.	Medium Large	10.00 12.00		
Milton Hill (Richardson). Very large, pale lilac rose. Rose type. Described by Mr. Farr as "One of the finest varieties in existence."	Divided Small Medium Large	1.70 2.60 3.80	11.50 17.00 26.00 38.00	
Grandiflora (Richardson 1883). Very large, flat, rose type. Rose white. Very fragrant. Tall. The last of any peony in our collection to bloom. A gem in a class by itself. This often blooms for three full weeks.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	1.70 2.60 3.80 4.70	11.50 17.00 26.00 38.00 47.00	85.00 135.00 200.00 290.00 365.00
Single				
Clio (Peterson 1901). Large, light pink, extra long stamens. Grand keeper.	Small Medium Large	2.00 3.00 4.00	20.00 30.00 40.00	

Deep Pink Peonies

	Size	Each	12	100
Early				
Alexandriana (Calot 1856). Very large, full, compact rose type. Light violet rose. Very fragrant. Very strong, upright grower. Free bloomer. Most dependable for cut flower purposes.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	\$ 2.30 \$0.42 .60 .80 1.00	\$ 2.30 4.20 6.00 8.00 10.00	\$ 15.00 30.00 45.00 60.00 75.00
Monsieur Jules Elie (Crousse 1888). Very large, compact bomb type. Pale lilac rose. Very fragrant. Strong grower, free bloomer. Claimed by some to be the largest peony grown.	Divided Small Medium Large	.95 1.58 2.22	6.70 9.50 15.80 22.20	
Lamartine (Calot 1860). Very large rose type. Pale lilac rose. Very fragrant. Tall, free bloomer. Also known as "Gigantea," because the blooms are so large. In recent years coming more than ever into demand.	Small Medium	1.30 1.95	13.00 19.50	100.00 150.00
Modeste Guerin (Guerin 1845). Large, compact, typical bomb. Though described by the Peony Society as solferino red, it is the darkest of the pinks. Fragrant. Extra strong free bloomer. Always dependable. Often called "The American Beauty Peony."	Divided Small Medium Large	.85 1.30 1.82	5.40 8.50 13.00 18.20	40.00 65.00 100.00 140.00
Midseason				
Madame Ducl (Mechin 1880). Large, globular type bomb. Light mauve rose. Fragrant. Strong grower, medium height, very free. A great keeper and develops well.	Divided Large Extra large	1.10 1.35	3.30 11.00 13.50	23.00 82.00 100.00
Docteur Bretonneau (Verdier 1854). Medium to large bomb. Pale lilac rose. Fragrant. Vigorous free bloomer, splendid keeper. Also called Lady Lenora Bramwell. A commercial favorite for midseason cutting.	Divided Small Medium Large	.56 .85 1.20	3.50 5.60 8.50 12.00	25.00 42.00 65.00 90.00
Triomphe de l'Exposition de Lille (Calot 1865). Large, compact rose type. Hydrangea pink, mottled with darker tints. Very free. A monster pink rose with evenly overlapping petals.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	.56 .85 1.20 1.50	3.50 5.60 8.50 12.00 15.00	25.00 42.00 65.00 90.00 115.00
Late				
Archie Brand (Brand 1913). "An even deep shell-pink. The petals closely massed, forming a solid head which is surrounded by broad, drooping guard petals. An immense flower of the bomb type. Profuse bloomer."—Brand.	Medium Large	10.00 12.00		
Claire Dubois (Crousse 1886). Mammoth, globular rose type. Clear, deep violet rose. Delicate fragrance. Tall, erect, strong grower, free bloomer. In a rose shape what M. Jules Elie is in a bomb.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	1.70 2.60 3.80 4.70	11.50 17.00 26.00 38.00 47.00	85.00 135.00 200.00 290.00 365.00
Livingstone (Crousse 1879). Very large, compact, perfect rose type. Pale lilac rose. Very strong, medium height, free bloomer. Remarkable buds. Leaves nothing to ask for in a cut flower.	Divided Small Medium Large	.90 1.44 2.00	6.00 9.00 14.40 20.00	45.00 73.50 110.00 155.00

X—Indicates Best Moderate-Priced Sort in Each Section

Red Peonies

	Size	Each	12	100
Early				
Monsieur Martin Cahuzac (Dessert 1899). Globular, semi-rose, very dark purple garnet. Darkest peony grown. Any description fails to convey what a distinct color this has.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	\$32.00 \$5.10 8.00 10.50 12.50	\$32.00 51.00 80.00 105.00 125.00	\$250.00 400.00 600.00 800.00 1000.00
Karl Rosenfeld (Rosenfeld 1908). Very large, globular, compact, semi-rose. Very strong, tall, free. Unsurpassed as an early brilliant red.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	32.00 5.10 8.00 10.50 12.50	32.00 51.00 80.00 105.00 125.00	250.00 400.00 600.00 800.00 1000.00
Augustin d'Hour (Calot 1867). Large, compact perfect bomb, without stamens. Deep rose red. Free bloomer. Stands alone as the best early red bomb.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	.90 1.44 2.00 2.50	6.00 9.00 14.40 20.00 25.00	45.00 73.50
Pierre Dessert (Dessert & Mechin 1890). Very large, semi-rose type. Dark brilliant crimson purple. Tall, strong grower, free bloomer. Largest single petals and largest bloom among the reds.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	.64 1.00 1.38 1.75	4.20 6.40 10.00 13.80 17.50	30.00 48.00 75.00 105.00 135.00
Midseason				
Felix Crousse (Crousse 1881). Large, compact, globular bomb. Brilliant ruby red. Fragrant. Strong grower, free bloomer. Absolutely the best all-around red in existence.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	.90 1.44 2.00 2.50	6.00 9.00 14.40 20.00 25.00	45.00 73.50 110.00 155.00
Longfellow (Brand 1907). "A bright crimson with a cherry tone. Perhaps the most brilliant of all the red Peonies. Its erect habit, vivid color and long season gives it rare value."—Brand.	Small	10.00		100.00
Lora Dexheimer (Brand 1913). "Immense, cylindrical semi-rose. Intense flaming crimson, shading darker at base of petals. Medium height, stiff stem holding a single bloom rigidly erect. Prodigal bloomer." Brand's description.	Small Medium	6.00 9.00		
Late				
Delachei (Delache 1856). Large petals, medium compact rose type. Violet crimson, strong, erect, very free. By some called "Docteur Boisduvall."	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	.64 1.00 1.38 1.75	4.20 6.40 10.00 13.80 17.50	30.00 75.00 105.00 135.00
Eugene Bigot (Dessert 1894). Compact, globular, semi-rose type. Deep purple amaranth or velvety garnet. Upright habit, free bloomer, large petals.	Divided Small Medium Large Extra large	.64 1.00 1.38 1.75	4.20 6.40 10.00 13.80 17.50	30.00 75.00 105.00 135.00
General Davoust (Crousse 1898). Large, globular, rose type. Purplish red. Very tall, strong stem, vigorous, free bloomer. The very best red in our collection.	Small Medium	.85 1.30	8.50 13.00	65.00 100.00
Single				
Mikado (World's Fair Japan Exhibit 1893). Late. Dark crimson, cup-shaped guard. Filigree cushion of petals, crimson edged and tipped gold. Like a giant red poppy.	Divided Small Medium Large	8.00 1.30 1.95 2.90	8.00 13.00 19.50 29.00	60.00 100.00 150.00 225.00

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